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## MISSION COVERAGE INDEX

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November 1964

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### MISSIONS ■ I246, I250 12 NOVEMBER 1964

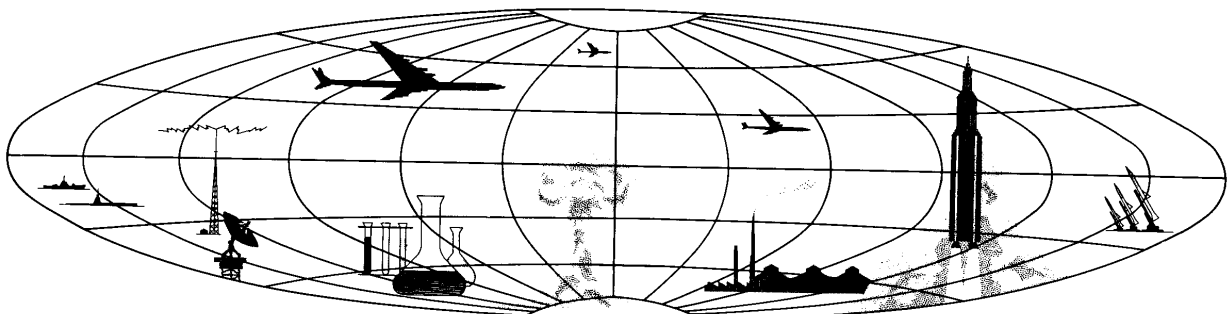


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L004, 1/50,000, AND THE ATC SERIES 200,  
SCALE 1/200,000.

THE USER OF THIS MCI IS CAUTIONED THAT THE  
SCAN OF PHOTOGRAPHY WAS ACCOMPLISHED IN A  
RELATIVELY SHORT TIME AND OFTEN WITHOUT THE  
AID OF PRECISE ANALYTICAL AND MENSURAL  
TECHNIQUES COMMONLY EMPLOYED IN DETAILED  
PHOTOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS. CONSEQUENTLY, ALTHOUGH  
THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HEREIN IS  
ESSENTIALLY ACCURATE, ADDITIONAL, DETAILED  
ANALYSIS MAY SOMEWHAT ALTER PORTIONS OF THE  
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PREFACE

THIS MISSION COVERAGE INDEX (MCI) LISTS THE INTELLIGENCE TARGETS IMAGED ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY OF [REDACTED] MISSIONS 1246 AND 1250 DATED 12 NOVEMBER 1964 COVERING LAOS. ITEMS ARE ARRANGED IN TWO SECTIONS.

SECTION I PROVIDES SHORT DESCRIPTIONS FOR NEWLY IDENTIFIED TARGETS AND PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TARGETS SHOWING CHANGE, AND ALSO PROVIDES ORDER OF BATTLE INFORMATION.

SECTION II PROVIDES A LISTING OF THOSE TARGETS WHICH REFLECT NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES FROM THE MOST ADEQUATE PREVIOUS DESCRIPTION. THE MCI IN WHICH THIS DESCRIPTION APPEARS IS DESIGNATED BY THE APPROPRIATE MISSION NUMBER, PREFIXED BY THE LETTERS NAC AND APPEARING AS THE LAST ENTRY ON THE PHOTO REFERENCE LINE. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS WHERE THERE IS NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE IN FACILITIES AND WHERE NO ORDER OF BATTLE CAN BE DETERMINED ARE LISTED UNDER THIS SECTION.

TARGETS IN EACH SECTION ARE ARRANGED 1) ACCORDING TO SUBJECT, 2) WITHIN THE SUBJECT BY WAC AREA, AND 3) WITHIN THE WAC AREA BY GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES IN ASCENDING ORDER. AN EXPLANATION OF COLUMN HEADINGS AND PHOTO REFERENCES USED IN PRESENTING THE INFORMATION IS CONTAINED IN THE APPENDIX. THE MAP BASE USED (WHEN AVAILABLE) FOR THE DERIVATION OF COORDINATES IN THIS MCI IS THE LATEST EDITION OF THE AMS SERIES L509, SCALE 1/250,000,

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## SECTION I

THIS SECTION PROVIDES SHORT DESCRIPTIONS FOR NEWLY IDENTIFIED TARGETS AND PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TARGETS SHOWING CHANGE, AND ALSO PROVIDES ORDER OF BATTLE INFORMATION.

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Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
			BE	NPIC
-LAOS-				
MISSILES				
BAN KEN, AAA SITES SEVENTEEN AAA SITES IN BAN KEN VICINITY.	1934N 10340E	0617		480-B
SITE A [REDACTED] -- OCCUPIED 4-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE, POSSIBLY CAMOUFLAGED.				
SITE B [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 4-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE.				
SITE C [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 4-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE.				
SITE D [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 8-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE. THREE AW POSITIONS (2 POSSIBLY OCCUPIED) OBSERVED WITHIN SITE.				
SITE E [REDACTED] -- OCCUPIED 4-GUN MGAA SITE.				
SITE F [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 4-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE.				
SITE G [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 7-GUN AAA SITE, PROBABLY ABANDONED.				
SITE H [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 7-GUN AAA SITE WITH BOMB CRATER ON ONE POSITION.				
SITE I [REDACTED] -- OCCUPIED 4-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE.				

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	Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
				BE	NPIC
25X1D	SITE J [REDACTED] -- STRONGPOINT CONTAINS AN OBLONG TRENCH, SEVERAL AW POSITIONS, AND A 6-GUN LIGHT AAA SITE, AT LEAST 4 POSITIONS OCCUPIED.				
25X1D	SITE M [REDACTED] -- AAA/AW SITE WITH ONE POSITION OCCUPIED.				
25X1D	SITE N [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 4-GUN AAA/AW SITE.				
25X1D	SITE O [REDACTED] -- UNOCCUPIED 4-GUN AAA SITE.				
	SITES K, L, P, AND Q -- NOT OBSERVED.				
	[REDACTED] 25X1D				
	MILITARY INSTALLATIONS				
	BAN NA VENG AREA, MILITARY AREA	1737N 10514E	0617		380
	1.5 NM SW OF BAN NA VENG.				
25X1D	NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE MISSION [REDACTED] 25X1D				
	[REDACTED] EXCEPT 2 LIGHT AAA/AW POSITIONS ARE NOT COVERED.				
	[REDACTED]				
	25X1D				

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Target	Coordinates	WAC	Target Numbers	
			BE	NPIC
<p>MISCELLANEOUS</p> <p>ROUTE 7</p> <p>SINGLE LANE NATURAL SURFACE LIMITED ALL-WEATHER ROAD IN DRY AND GOOD CONDITION OBSERVED FROM 19-35N 103-38E TO 19-35N 103-41E.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>ROUTE 8</p> <p>SINGLE LANE, NATURAL SURFACE ROAD IN FAIR CONDITION OBSERVED FROM 17-26N 105-09E TO 17-28N 105-10E.</p> <p>NO VEHICLES OBSERVED.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>ROUTE 12</p> <p>SINGLE LANE, NATURAL SURFACE ROAD IN FAIR CONDITION WITH SCATTERED, WATER FILLED POTHoles OBSERVED FROM 17-33N 105-10E TO 17-36N 105-10E.</p> <p>NO VEHICLES OBSERVED.</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p>				

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			BE	NPIC
<p>-LAOS-</p> <p>MILITARY INSTALLATIONS</p> <p>BAN NA KOK AREA, STRONGPOINT</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p> <p>BAN NHOMMARATH KEO, MILITARY AREA</p> <p>COMOR TARGET NO [REDACTED] 25X1A</p> <p>[REDACTED] 25X1D</p>	1727N 10509E	0617		410
	1736N 10509E	0617		365

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## APPENDIX

## COLUMN HEADINGS

City, Installation--This column contains the name of the city or town nearest the installation, followed by the name of the installation. If the name of the installation is not known, it is titled according to its function. Where appropriate, the city and installation names are followed by a capsule description.

Coordinates--Coordinates are referenced to the SW corner of the minute square. When the subject installation covers a wide area, coordinates are given for the approximate center of the installation.

WAC--This column provides the World Aeronautical Chart number for that area in which the subject installation is situated.

Installation Numbers--This column is divided into two subcolumns. The first subcolumn lists, when known, the BE installation number assigned to the installation. The second subcolumn lists the installation number assigned by NPIC. Installation numbers, when used to reference an item, should be prefixed by the appropriate WAC number, since installation numbers are repeated from WAC to

WAC. For example, there is an NPIC target number 0499-15-A and an NPIC target number 0498-15-A. In each instance, the NPIC installation number is 15-A, but the installations appear on different WAC charts.

## COMOR TARGET NUMBERS

Target numbers assigned by the Committee on Over-head Reconnaissance (COMOR), when available, are listed directly above the photo reference data.

## PHOTO REFERENCE DATA

The photo reference data indicates the frame(s) on which the installation appears.

## CONDITIONS AFFECTING PHOTOGRAPHY

Following the photo reference data, symbols indicate conditions which affect the appearance of the installation on the photography. The symbols are: C (clear); SC (scattered clouds); HC (heavy clouds); SC-HC (scattered-to-heavy clouds); H (haze); CS (cloud shadow); SD (semi-darkness); O (obliquity); and PQ (poor image quality).

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